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In the Heart of Pensacola . . . With Pensacola on Our Hearts

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SUNDAY, MAY 4, A DAY OF SPECIAL EVENTS

Cambodian Revival

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មានប៉ុន្មានអំណោយក្នុងចំណោម ពិធីបុណ្យ-
ខ្មែរ ពិធីក្រសួងស្រាវជ្រាវ រដ្ឋបាល ។

កម្មវិធីមានដូចខាងក្រោម៖
ប្រជុំប្រជុំ ៣ ឧបទ្វីប : ម៉ោង២:៣០ (រសៀល)
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ម៉ោង៥:៣០ ដល់ម៉ោង៦:០០ ប្រជុំប្រជុំ Christian
Activities Center, First Baptist
Church, Palafox St. ។ ប្រជុំប្រជុំសិក្សាសាលា :
ម៉ោង៥:៣០ - ១២ ពិធីបុណ្យសក្ការៈ និងបុណ្យបិណ្ឌ
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ពិធីបុណ្យសក្ការៈ និងបុណ្យបិណ្ឌ Baptist Church
ខ្មែរអាចយកមក "The Girl Who Spelled
Freedom"

Founders Day

- 8:00 A.M. — HERITAGE CLUB BREAKFAST
- 10:30 A.M. — FOUNDERS DAY RECOGNITION
BAPTISMAL SERVICE
CAMBODIAN CHOIR SINGS
SERMON BY REV. EDDIE BENTON
"RECONCILIATION" (Gen. 45:1-15)
- 11:45 A.M. — BAPTISMAL SERVICE FOR CAMBODIANS
- 6:15 P.M. — JESUS NEVER FAILS
AND GOSPEL PRESENTATION

JESUS NEVER FAILS.

featuring
The High School Choir
6:15 P.M.



HIGH ATTENDANCE DAY — MAY 18

MUSIC MINISTRY

Mike Simoneaux

SANCTUARY CHOIR — We are gearing up for our high attendance day on Sunday, May 18. Our goal is 150. The Wednesday night prior to the 18th we will take a formal picture of the choir for our directory. Let's continue our fine rehearsal and Sunday attendance and make that special effort for the 18th.

“VISIT LIKE CRAZY FOR THE CHOIR FOR ONE NIGHT!” — night is Tuesday, May 13. We need people to visit, to make calls and to write cards. Sign up at choir rehearsal this week and next week.

HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR — SUNDAY NIGHT — Jesus Never Fails presented by our High School Choir and band. Don't miss this exciting and inspiring message in song.

SPECIAL YOUTH DATES

SENIOR BREAKFAST AND RECOGNITION DAY SUNDAY, MAY 25TH.

Breakfast at 8:00 A.M. at James and Shirley Callaway's home.

HIGH SCHOOL MISSION TRIP — JUNE 13 - 21

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL — JUNE 23 - 27

MIDDLE SCHOOL CAMP AT CHULA VISTA, ALA. — JUNE 29 - JULY 3

HIGH SCHOOL CENTRIFUGE AT GREENVILLE, S.C. — JULY 21 - 26

MIDDLE SCHOOL TABS — JULY 28 - 31

LETTER FROM ECUADORIAN PASTOR

Following is a letter to Frank and Bernice Osborne from the pastor of the Ecuadorian church we worked with last year. The letter responds to a “late” Christmas package. Some explanatory notes are added — the words are the pastor's — nothing could confuse his love.

Ecuador, 20 March 1986

Lovely Brothers:

Greetings in the name of the Lord, our name and church's name. Oh Brothers, what great love we had found at your hearts. Thank you Brothers for the gift of pictures (photographs from the campaign), the large printing book (large print Spanish Bible), for the cassette too, (FBC Choir Christmas Album) church say thank you. I had received the dollars (designated FBC gift). I was praying to the Lord to pay hospital of Martha (his wife) because we are waiting for a baby. God bless you for the lovely hearts you are. I tell you: time in your visit was very short and there wasn't time to give you more love, but Lord knows we loved you! Always we remember when we listen the tape everybody. Come to Ecuador again, we wait open arms. Thank you again, and pray for us, and write to

Patricio Garcia

Gonzalo Benitez 259

Quito — Ecuador

HEIDI IN TALLAHASSEE

Congratulations to Youth 13's Heidi Hurst. She served in the Capitol last week in Tallahassee as Representative Grover Robinson's messenger

PICNIC TIME

“When is the church picnic this year?”
A question many of you have been asking.
Mark the date on your calendar — JULY 6
— BAYVIEW PARK. More later!

CALLED CHURCH BUSINESS CONFERENCE

SUNDAY, MAY 4, 1986

FOLLOWING EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

for the purpose of voting on

1986 SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

MESSENGERS

STAFF ANNIVERSARIES

FOR APRIL

Eleanor Garner, Nursery1972

Linda Harris, Nursery1973

Mary Moore, Kitchen1975

Alberta LeSure, Kitchen1975

SPRING LUNCHEON GUEST



MRS. FRANKEE HELLINGER

ATTENTION, LADIES

DON'T MISS THIS

Spring Luncheon, 10:00 A.M., Tuesday, May 6, 1986. Our guest speaker will be Mrs. Frankee Hellinger from Orlando, Florida. She and her husband were former missionaries to India. She is very active in Baptist work throughout the State. Recently Frankee spoke at the Florida Baptist Convention.

Come, bring a friend, hear Frankee and stay for lunch. You MUST call the church office for reservations unless you have a permanent reservation. The cost for the luncheon is \$3.00. Reservations must be in by noon, May 5th.

DOBSON SERIES

SUNDAY, MAY 4 — 5:00 P.M.

CHURCH DINING HALL

Overcoming a Painful Childhood . . .

Includes Shirley Dobson's intimate memories of a difficult childhood with her alcoholic father, and the influences which brought her to a loving God.

NEEDS IN CAMBODIAN MINISTRY

2 STOVES

1 REFRIGERATOR

BEDS

ELECTRIC FANS

When we meet these needs then there arises the need for volunteers with vehicles to pick up and deliver these items. We also need volunteers who can repair all types of things; a van driver for Sunday morning and Monday evening; babysitters for Monday evening; and a pianist for Monday evening. Please call the church office if you will be a volunteer.) 433-5631.

RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP — APRIL 27, 1986



MRS. NARETH CHAN



MRS. PAS EN

FBC PRAYER MINISTRY

"Seeing then that we have a great high priest, that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our profession. For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. Let us come BOLDLY unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need."

(Hebrews 4:14-16)

What are our needs? Inner peace, direction, patience, joy, comfort, finances, release from some type of bondage, purpose in life, restored relationships? Jesus Christ has the answer for all of these.

What does it mean to go BOLDLY to the throne of grace? It means we must approach God UNHESITATINGLY in our need. He knows our need better than we do and His grace (unmerited favor and love) is enough to more than satisfy any need we have.

PULPIT COMMITTEE REPORT

Last week we spent many hours in meetings and conferences, confident more than ever that God is working His will through us in this search for a pastor. Continue to pray for the prospective pastor, for his wife, his family, his congregation, his heart, his commitment, his convictions, his prayer time, his time schedule, his anticipation of a new field.

SAMARITANS HANDS

Jesus Christ walked into my office today —

he was impeccably dressed, tweed sportcoat and wool slacks and his fingernails were well trimmed;

he laughed easily, but he frowned a lot;

he had a big paycheck, but his home was empty;

he spent his days and nights at the office, and he had lost his family's love in the meantime.

He walked into my office, and I thought he probably deserved it.

Jesus Christ passed me in the grocery today —

she wore a thin sweater, and her look was lean;

she pushed an almost empty basket, and her three children cried a lot;

her face was vacant, and she watched me fill my basket at the meat counter;

she paid with wadded up bills and small change and had to put back her canned soup and detergent.

She walked past me. I sighed and wondered what people like that do.

Jesus Christ was on the news today —

just a cameo shot, taken on the other side of town;

he sat inside his cardboard room and shivered as the TV crew held the door open;

he didn't smile at the publicity;

he just pulled his sweater across his hacking chest and let a tear run down his cheek.

He looked right at me, then vanished as the commercial began.

Jesus Christ came by my house tonight —

I read a bedtime scripture as usual;

his picture shone glossy in my New Testament;

I bowed to pray for all the sick and starving as a siren screamed in anger 'round the corner.

A knock came at the door, and I pressed my pillow over my ears.

God calls us to take off the blinders of apathy, of prejudice, of self-centeredness, of lack of knowledge. God calls us to get on with the task of being his representatives on earth.

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me." (Matt. 25:40)

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1986

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie C. Sasnett
their children and grandchildren
request the pleasure of your company
at a reception

in celebration of their
Golden Wedding Anniversary
on Saturday, the tenth of May
Nineteen hundred and eighty-six
from two to four in the afternoon
First Baptist Church
Dining Room
500 North Palafox Street
Pensacola, Florida
No gifts please

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITAL:

BAPTIST HOSPITAL:

MINU Cary Haywood

401 Mrs. Etta Merritt

410 Eva Parrish

465 Harold Stokes

201 Mary Hawkins

(Mother of Claude Hawkins)

SACRED HEART CHILDREN'S:

272 Brandon Lohstreter

SPECIALTY CARE:

1216 Mary Charles Renfroe

WEST FLORIDA:

409-B Lamar Crabtree
(Brother of Dolores Barrow)

528 James H. Adcox

GULF BREEZE HOSPITAL:

222 Miss Jennifer Farris

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED:

To Mrs. Ebbie Roberts in the death of
her husband and Mrs. Triss Masters in
the death of her father, Mr. Lon
Roberts, April 23, 1986.

"ROSEBUDS"

The rosebuds on the pulpit Sunday, April 27,
were placed there in honor of:

APRIL MICHELLE O'NEAL,

a baby girl, born to

Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Virginia) O'Neal

on April 8, 1986

- and -

CAROLINE MARIE HINSON,

a baby girl, born to

Mr. and Mrs. Richard (Barbara) Hinson

on April 10, 1986

- and -

CAROLYN ALEXIS FIFER ("CARRIE")

a baby girl, born to

Mr. and Mrs. Steve (Melody) Fifer

on April 14, 1986

BAPTIZED APRIL 20, 1986

MISS RICKI LYNN HILL

6229 Windwood Drive (04)

MR. DAVID JAMES JONES

1016 East Jackson Street (01)

MR. TOMMY OVERMAN

1600 East LaRue Street (01)

MISS TRISH PFEIFFER

4930 LaCeiba Drive (06)

MISS DOROTHY A. TRIPPE

3986 Potosi Road (04)

MR. ANDY TRAMMELL, JR.

1760 Kathleen Street (33)

MRS. PATRICIA WHITE

3395 Brookshire Drive (04)

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SAMARITANS HANDS 438-8907

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday, 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

CHURCH OFFICERS

Mr. Bill Morrison, Chairman of Deacons . . . 476-0345
Dr. Hiram Smith, Jr., S.S. Director . . . 432-4697
Mrs. Evelyn Haines, W.M.U. Director . . . 438-8960
Mildred Gentry, Director of Library Services 478-1367

BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

April 27, 1986

Receipts \$ 20,148.05
Weekly Budget Needs 30,769.00
Budget Receipts
Year to Date 460,389.89
Budget Needs
Year to Date 523,073.00

DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND \$ 13.50
SPECIALS 1,994.50

Last Week

APRIL 21 - 27, 1986

SUNDAY SCHOOL 1,176
Married Adults 617
Single Adults 131
Youth 140
Children 122
Preschool 132
International Children
(Sunday Afternoon) 34
MEN'S LUNCHEON 110
LADIES' LUNCHEON 125
WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM 493
CHURCH TRAINING (Adults) 130
COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP 2

WEDNESDAY, MAY 7

Please come to
DINNER

B-B-Q Chicken
Buttered Corn
Field Peas with Snaps
Cornbread / Roll
Butter
Dessert
Tea / Coffee

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, MAY 4 - FOUNDER'S DAY

8:00 A.M.—Heritage Club Breakfast
8:30 - 10:30 A.M.—Library Open
8:45 A.M.—Telephone Class
* 9:00 A.M.—Sunday School
* 10:30 A.M.—Morning Worship
3:00 P.M.—Children's Bible Study
4:00 P.M.—Prayer Meeting
4:30 - 6:15 P.M.—Library Open
* 5:00 P.M.—Adult Handbells
High School Choir
Middle School JOY
Church Training —
Dobson Series
Church Training
for Grades 1 - 5
* 6:15 P.M.—Evening Worship — featuring
High School Musical

MONDAY, MAY 5

* 8:30 - 9:30 A.M.—Aerolife Proaerobic
Workout
* 9:00 A.M.—“Needle” Workshop
* 9:30 A.M.—Blessercise
10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
5:30 - 6:30 P.M.—Evening Aerobics
6:30 P.M.—H.S. Discipleship Class
7:00 P.M.—Adult Ensemble
“Needle” Workshop
7:00 P.M.—Singles Adult 1 Bible Study

TUESDAY, MAY 6

9:00 A.M. - Noon—Library Open
9:00 A.M.—BYW
10:00 A.M.—BW
11:30 A.M.—BW Luncheon
5:30 - 6:30 P.M.—Evening Aerobics

WEDNESDAY, MAY 7

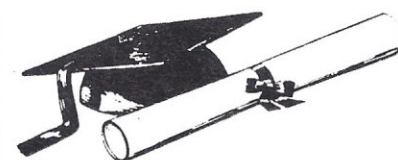
* 8:30 - 9:30 A.M.—Aerolife Proaerobic
Workout
* 9:30 A.M.—Blessercise
12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
4:00 P.M.—Middle School Handbells
4:30 - 7:15 P.M.—Library Open
* 4:45 P.M.—High School Acteens
Middle School Choir
Graded Choir
* 5:15 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
Median Adult 1
Acteens - 8th Grade Officers
Choir Officers
* 5:30 P.M.—Living Free — Room S-310
* 6:00 P.M.—Chapel Singers
* 6:15 P.M.—Prayer Meeting
Singles 1 — Room S-312
S.S. Weekly Workers Mtg.
High School JOY
Mission Friends
Middle School Acteens
R.A.'s
G.A.'s
* 7:00 P.M.—Sanctuary Choir

COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP

APRIL 27, 1986

PROFESSION OF FAITH:

34. Mrs. Nareth Chan 433-2582
2301 North 7th Avenue
Pensacola, FL. 32503
35. Mrs. Pas En 438-9812
706 West Chase Street
Pensacola, FL. 32501



ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

We need your senior picture for the special edition of the *Builder* which will be published May 21. Be sure your name is on the back of the picture. Senior Breakfast and Recognition Service is May 25.

(Turn in pictures to church office. They will be returned to you.)

7:15 P.M.—Boy Scouts
H.S. Discipleship Class

THURSDAY, MAY 8

9:00 A.M. - Noon—Library Open
9:30 A.M.—WMU Group leaves for tour
of WMU Bldg., Birmingham
* 11:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.—Cambodian
Discipleship
12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon
5:30 - 6:30 P.M.—Evening Aerobics
6:00 - 8:00 P.M.—Music Ministry
Leadership

FRIDAY, MAY 9

* 8:30 - 9:30 A.M.—Aerolife Proaerobic
Workout
* 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out
12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
5:30 P.M.—WMU Group returns from
Birmingham

SATURDAY, MAY 10

9:00 - 10:00 A.M.—“Blessercise”
2:00 - 4:00 P.M.—Golden Wedding
Anniversary Celebration
in Dining Room for
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Sasnett

* Nursery Open

** Nursery by Reservation Only